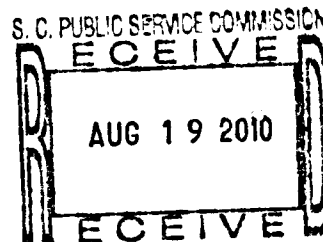


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August 11, 2010

The Honorable Jocelyn Boyd
Interim Chief Clerk & Administrator
The Public Service Commission of South Carolina
P.O. Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29210



Re: New Communications of the Carolinas, Inc. d/b/a Frontier now known as Frontier
Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
Docket No. 2009-220-C
PSC Order 2009-769 dated October 29, 2009
File No. 7377.001

RE: Docket No. 2009-220-C – Letter Advising the Commission of Name Change

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The purpose of this letter to advise that the name change for Frontier as contemplated in connection with the above-reference Commission Order approving the transaction has been formalized with the South Carolina Secretary of State. I am attaching a copy of the Amended Certificate of Authority issued by the Secretary of State which provides for name changes related to the acquisition of the Verizon South properties by Frontier Communications Inc.:

New Communications of the Carolinas Inc. to **Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.**

New Communications Online and Long Distance Inc. to **Frontier Communications Online and Long Distance Inc.**

I also respectfully request that you update the Commission information, website and any appropriate changes to the docket to reflect the name change and the contact information for Frontier.

Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
1301 Gervais Street, Suite 825
Columbia, SC 29201
Afton Ellison, SC Contact – State Government Relations

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A copy of the same is being provided to the Office of the Regulatory Staff as indicated below.

Please advise if there are any questions. I can be reached at (803)771-4400 or at (803)463-9660.

With kindest regards, I am

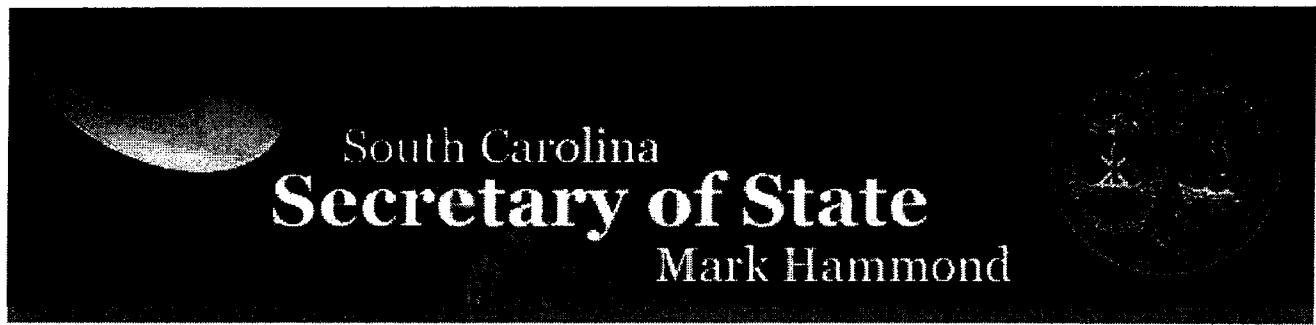
Sincerely,



Steven W. Hamm
C. Jo Anne Wessinger Hill

JWH/SWH/tbj
Enclosures

Cc: Kevin Saville, Esq.
Office of Regulatory Staff, the Honorable Dukes Scott
Office of Regulatory Staff, Nanette Edwards



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DOMESTIC / FOREIGN:	Foreign
STATUS:	Good Standing
STATE OF INCORPORATION	DELAWARE
/ ORGANIZATION:	Profit

REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION

REGISTERED AGENT NAME:	CT CORPORATION SYSTEM
ADDRESS:	2 OFFICE PARK CT
CITY:	COLUMBIA
STATE:	SC
ZIP:	29223
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STATE OF INCORPORATION	DELAWARE
/ ORGANIZATION:	Profit

REGISTERED AGENT INFORMATION

REGISTERED AGENT NAME:	C T CORPORATION SYSTEM
ADDRESS:	75 BEATTIE PLACE
CITY:	GREENVILLE
STATE:	SC
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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
SECRETARY OF STATE

**APPLICATION FOR AN AMENDED CERTIFICATE
 OF AUTHORITY BY A FOREIGN CORPORATION
 TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN SOUTH CAROLINA**

TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY WITH BLACK INK

Pursuant to Section 33-15-104 of the 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws, as amended, the undersigned corporation hereby applies for an amended certificate of authority to transact business in the State of South Carolina and for that purpose submits the following statement:

1. The name of the corporation is New Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
- 1a. The above named corporation received a Certificate of Authority to transact business in South Carolina on 03/23/2010.
2. This application is filed for the following reason (complete all applicable items):
 - ☒ a. The corporation has changed its corporate name as follows Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
 - ☐ b. The corporation has changed its duration to No Change
 - ☐ c. The corporation has changed the state or country of its incorporation to No Change
3. The name of the corporation for the purpose of transacting business in South Carolina is (See Sections 33-4-101 and 33-15-106) and see Section 33-19-500(b)(1) if the corporation is a professional corporation _____
4. It is incorporated as (check applicable item) ☒ a general business corporation, ☐ a professional corporation under the laws of the state of _____
5. The date of its incorporation is 05/08/2009 and the period of its duration is Perpetual
6. The address of the principal office of the corporation in the jurisdiction of its incorporation is _____
 _____ in the city of _____
Street Address
 and the state of Delaware
Zip Code
7. The address of the registered office in the state of South Carolina is 2 Office Park Court, Suite 103,
Street Address
 in the city of Columbia, South Carolina 29223
Zip Code
8. The name of the registered agent in this state at such address is C.T. CORPORATION SYSTEM
9. The name and usual business address of the corporation's directors (if the corporation has no directors, then the name and address of those persons who are exercising the statutory authority of directors on behalf of the corporation) and principal officer _____

New Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
Name of Corporation

a)	Name of Directors	Business Address
	<u>Mary Agnes Wilderotter</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	<u>Daniel J. McCarthy</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	<u>Donald R. Shassian</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	_____	_____

b)	Name and Office of Principal Officers	Business Address
	<u>Mary Agnes Wilderotter/Chairman</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	<u>Daniel J. McCarthy/President & COO</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	<u>Donald R. Shassian/Vice President & CFO</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>
	<u>David R. Whitehouse/Vice President & Treasurer</u>	<u>3 High Ridge Park, Stamford, CT 06905</u>

SEE ATTACHMENT

10. The aggregate number of shares which the corporation has authority to issue, itemized by classes and series, if any, within a class:

Class of Shares (and Series, if any)	Authorized No. of Each Class (and Series)
<u>Common Stock</u>	<u>100</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

11. Unless a delayed date is specified, this application shall be effective when accepted for filing by the Secretary of State (See Section 33-1-230): _____

Date July 1, 2010

Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
Name of Corporation


Signature of Officer

David G. Schwartz, Secretary
Type or Print Name and Office

**Attachment to South Carolina
Officers & Directors**

1	Full Name:	David G. Schwartz
	Officer/Director:	Officer
	Officer's Title:	Secretary
	Business Address:	3 High Ridge Park
	City:	Stamford
	State:	CT
	ZIP Code:	06905

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I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "NEW COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC.", FILED A CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT, CHANGING ITS NAME TO "FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC.", THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2010, AT 1:45 O'CLOCK P.M.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State
AUTHENTICATION: 8091403

DATE: 07-01-10

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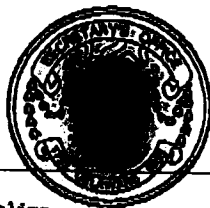
I, JEFFREY W. BULLOCK, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE ATTACHED IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF THE CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT OF "NEW COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC.", CHANGING ITS NAME FROM "NEW COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC." TO "FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC.", FILED IN THIS OFFICE ON THE FIRST DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2010, AT 1:45 O'CLOCK P.M.

A FILED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS.

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Jeffrey W. Bullock, Secretary of State
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**STATE OF DELAWARE
CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT
OF CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION**

The corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware does hereby certify:

FIRST: That at a meeting of the Board of Directors of
New Communications of the Carolinas Inc.

resolutions were duly adopted setting forth a proposed amendment of the Certificate of Incorporation of said corporation, declaring said amendment to be advisable and calling a meeting of the stockholders of said corporation for consideration thereof. The resolution setting forth the proposed amendment is as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Certificate of Incorporation of this corporation be amended by changing the Article thereof numbered "First" so that, as amended, said Article shall be and read as follows:

The name of the Corporation is FRONTIER COMMUNICATIONS OF THE CAROLINAS INC.

SECOND: That thereafter, pursuant to resolution of its Board of Directors, a special meeting of the stockholders of said corporation was duly called and held upon notice in accordance with Section 222 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware at which meeting the necessary number of shares as required by statute were voted in favor of the amendment.

THIRD: That said amendment was duly adopted in accordance with the provisions of Section 242 of the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said corporation has caused this certificate to be signed this 15th day of July, 2010.

By: David O. Schwartz
Authorized Officer

Title: Secretary

Name: David O. Schwartz

Print or Type

South Carolina Secretary of State

Mark Hammond

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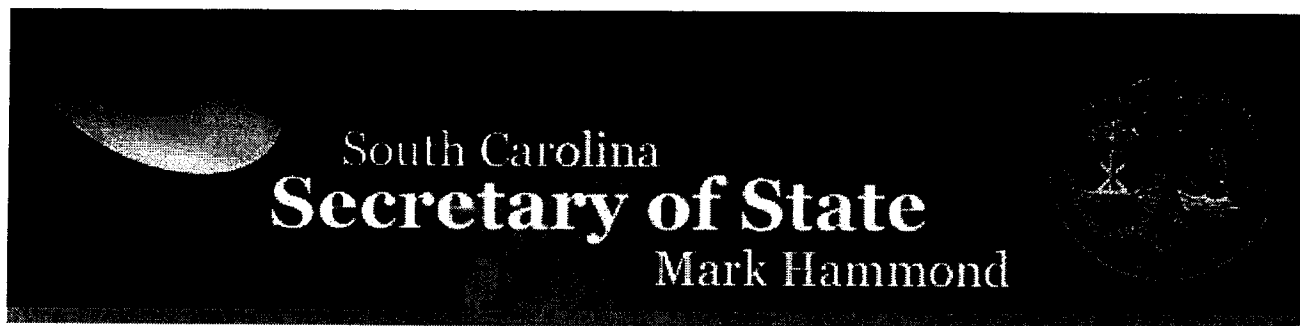
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